

SIXTEEN OREGON WAR VETERANS GET PENSIONS

Washington, Jan. 27.—In an omnibus pension bill just reported to the house of representatives an unusual number of Oregonians are included, some for original pensions and some for increases. All are based on claims for injury or illness growing out of military service. The beneficiaries are: Harold A. Salisbury, Salem, \$20; Indian war veteran. James Cunningham, 157 Winchester street, Portland, \$12; Spanish war. Mary R. Mellinger, 954 Savier street, Portland, mother of Walter A. Mellinger, a deceased Spanish war veteran, \$12. George Bales, 1171 Bothwick street, Portland, regular army service, \$17. Jacob Imhoff, 810 Thurman street, Portland, Spanish war, \$12. Robert H. Sheaffer, 614 Nehalem street, Portland, Spanish war, \$17. James Renshall, 251 Broadway, Portland, Spanish war, \$24. Hans R. Jacobson, 839 Bowdoin street, Portland, Spanish war, \$17. Christopher L. Elinkopf, I. O. O. F. home, Portland, Indian wars, \$20. William Bell, Roseburg, regular army service, \$17. Thirsa M. Dolph, Eugene, widow of Isaac N. Dolph, Spanish war, \$12. Katherine Retter, McMinnville, widow of William Retter, regular army, \$12, and \$2 additional for each of two minor children. William W. Shortridge, London, Indian wars, \$30. Oliver Hull, Waldo, Spanish war, \$24. Nathaniel N. Robbins, Oregon City Indian wars, \$30. Mary Silvers, Roseburg, widow of William Silvers, Indian wars, \$20.

TAX TO STATE ON "GAS" IS \$341,643.X58

Gasoline consumed in Oregon from February 26, the date on which the fuel oil license law became operative, until December 31, totaled 31,852,288 gallons with an additional 4,689,747 gallons of distillate on the total sales of which the tax aggregated \$341,643.58, according to a summary prepared by Sam A. Kezer, deputy secretary of state. Sales of motor fuel oil for December dwindled to considerably below the record of any previous month, the summary shows, this being due in large measure to the heavy snows during that month which prevented the operation of automobiles and motorcycles. Sales for December totaled 2,192,982 gallons of gasoline and 127,583 gallons of distillate, the tax on these sales aggregating \$21,717.72.

DALLAS BOOTLEGGERS CAUGHT; FINED \$50

Dallas, Jan. 27.—Sheriff John W. Orr of this city made his first arrest of a bootlegger for this year about midnight Sunday night when he caught Peter Reddekopp, a resident of this city disposing of an intoxicating drink to a local citizen. Reddekopp, who is known throughout the county as "Wildgoose," has been under suspicion by the police authorities for some time and has been repeatedly warned. It is alleged he has been making a drink which is a mixture of hard cider and wine. Saturday night several drunks were noticed upon the city streets and one was arrested and placed in the city jail by Marshal Chase. He stated that he bought the drink from Reddekopp. Another drunk was feeling his oats Sunday and was watched by the police until about midnight when he went to the Reddekopp home in the south part of town for an additional supply. It was then that Sheriff Orr made his arrest. Reddekopp is alleged to have been selling his wares to high school boys and others about town, and has been the cause of many Saturday night spears. He was taken before Justice of the Peace John R. Sibley who fined him \$50. But for the fact that he has a large family the officers state that he would have received a jail sentence.

POLK COUNTY TO BE HOP CENTER AGAIN

Dallas, Or., Jan. 27.—Polk county will soon be the hop center of the world again. This county will again have the two largest hopyards in existence. For several years the yards of E. Clements Horst company and the Wiggins-Richardson company, near Independence, had the distinction of being the largest. During the war, when the hop market fell off, the vines in both these yards were plowed up, the acreages plant to vegetables and sugar beets and the large dryers converted into vegetable evaporators. The high price that hops are now commanding has caused a resumption of the business of growing that crop on these two large farms and the Horst company will have 550 acres in bearing this year, with an estimated yield of 4900 bales. At the Wiggins ranch about 350 acres had been planted. Other yards, smaller in size, throughout Polk county, which had abandoned the growing of hops, are being replanted.

OREGON TO BACK DRY LAW IN TEST SUIT

Oregon will join with other prohibition states in the union in defending the eighteenth amendment to the federal constitution—the prohibition amendment—the validity of which is to be tested in a suit to be brought by the state of Rhode Island by permission of the supreme court of the United States. The movement to enlist the federal government in defense of the amendment was initiated by Governor Carl E. Milliken of Maine. Governor Milliken's suggestion that Former Justice Charles Evans Hughes be retained as counsel for the states is approved by Governor Olcott and Attorney General Brown. No expense will attach to the state in the suit. Oregon is the fourteenth state to lend its moral support in defense of the amendment. Marshall Hooper, federal bank examiner, accompanied by A. Schram, state bank examiner, went to Portland Monday.

HEAR Mrs. O. F. Lamson LECTURE On the Situation in Armenia and the Near East at M. E. CHURCH Thursday, Jan. 29, at 7:30 p. m. EVERY person in Salem is invited to hear this entertaining speaker tell about the life and customs of the people now making an effort to exist in her native land—"ARMENIA". Come and learn what HERBERT HOOVER has been doing since the Armistice was signed. This will be an instructive lecture and FREE! No collection or subscription to be taken.

TUG LOSES CONCRETE BOATS OFF COLUMBIA

Astoria, Or., Jan. 27.—The army tug Stocum, which left Astoria last Thursday with four concrete boats in tow, bound for San Francisco, who tossed to the local station last night that she had lost two of the boats but had taken the crews off. The boats were said to be in a sinking condition. The Stocum is returning to port with the remaining two boats and then will endeavor to recover the two lost, the message said. Captain Fritz Hirsch, Columbia port pilot who took the steamer Abercrombie yesterday for a trial trip, said he sighted the Stocum off Cape Mearns with two concrete boats in tow and sighted two other concrete boats about ten miles southwest.

Dallas Woman Gets Photo Of Son's Grave In France

Dallas, Or., Jan. 27.—Mrs. Nellie Chase of this city has received a photograph of her son's grave in France. Private Orley P. Chase, a former member of company L. Third Oregon, was killed at the battle of Cantigny, May 28, 1918. The photograph was sent to Mrs. Chase by R. V. Coleman of Multnomah, who stated in a letter accompanying the picture, that one day several months ago he was passing through a cemetery near the Cantigny battlefield when he was attracted to the grave of an American soldier between the graves of two French soldiers. On the cross above the grave was the inscription "Pvt. Orley P. Chase, Dallas, Or." He took a snapshot of the grave and sent a copy to the dead soldier's mother as soon as he learned her address.

Water Permits.

The construction of a reservoir and the appropriation of 50,000 acre feet of water from Big Marsh creek for the irrigation of lands near Lapine is contemplated in an application filed with State Engineer Capper today by J. P. Nowell of Portland. Other applications for water rights filed with the state engineer's office today follow: By Plainview Irrigation company covering the appropriation from a tributary of Sparks Lake for the irrigation of land in the Plainview irrigation district, near Gist. By Sophronia Nesbit and E. E. Hays of Hood River for the appropriation of water from an unnamed spring for the irrigation of land and a domestic water supply. By Carl Sandstrom of Dayville for the appropriation of water from the West Fork of Payton creek for the irrigation of 75 acres near Dayville. "Founders day" will be celebrated in the chapel of Kimball School of Theology Wednesday at 3 p. m. Doctor E. S. Hammond will give the address. This will be a public meeting.

OPTOMETRISTS EXAMINED

Ten applicants for permission to practice optometry in Oregon took the examination before the state board of optometry here Monday. The examination was under the charge of Dr. Floyd B. Dayton of Portland, president, and Wm. H. Peare of La Grande secretary of the state association.

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\$100,000,000 Fund to Finance Baptist Plan for Curing Unrest with Religion

10,666 Local Churches Unite in Pledging Members to New World Movement of Northern Baptists. The Baptists of 35 states and the District of Columbia will have definitely embarked by February 1 on what leaders in the denomination say is "the greatest task in its history" and one of the most vigorous unified advances any Christian body has ever made. The New World Movement of Northern Baptists, defined as "the lining up of the church for aggressive application of Christianity to the problems of the world," is swinging under way. Several thousand of the 10,666 churches involved, ranging in location from Arizona to Maine and from Washington, D. C., to Washington State, have already pledged their members personally to the new movement. December 7 to 14 was generally observed under the name of Christian Enlistment Week, but all January has been allotted for those communities where local campaigns or other plans made canvasses inconvenient during the week originally set. Where work among American citizens and foreign-born workmen, the expansion of missionary work in foreign fields, the continuance of active educational aid to the negro race, the furtherance of Baptist interests in South America and the provision of an adequate pensioning fund for ministers and missionaries are among the concrete aims approved by the last Northern Baptist Convention. Plans are laid to raise \$100,000,000 in the next five years within the denomination for those and allied purposes. The church is facing up, Dr. J. V. Aitchison, director of the General Board of Promotion of the Northern Baptist Convention, said in a summing-up statement "to the greatest task in its history, believing that universal Christianity is the only possible solution for world unrest, are joining upstandingly with our Protestant bodies in an effort to spread the Kingdom of God by modern methods of work, coupled with the good, old-fashioned requisites of prayer and faith. "We are going forward on the theory that the denomination or the church or the man who hangs back now is what President Roosevelt would have called a "pussy-footed." Where Christianity dominates, there cannot be lust and greed and hate. Certainly there cannot be Bolshevism." The scope of the Americanization plans of the Baptists is large. Children in the Sunday Schools will be urged to treat the children of the foreign-born as friends. Baptist women will be asked to cultivate friendship as individuals with foreign-born women. Missions will be established in mining, manufacturing and logging districts where the native proportion of the population is small. Speaking of "future citizens," the report of the Field Survey Committee says: "We cannot honestly preach to them and teach them national ideals if we are silent while they, because they are strangers, are being exploited. It is our Christian duty to assist in the bettering of factory conditions, standards of employment for women in industry, living conditions of foreigners and social, educational, civic and religious opportunities for the foreign-born." Of the money to be raised, \$22,000,000 will be devoted to the expansion and improvement of Baptist educational institutions. Including 16 schools for negroes, 88 academies and colleges will benefit

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